## Kagoma language

**Gyong** (otherwise known as **Kagoma** by the *Hausa*), is a <u>Plateau</u> language of <u>Nigeria</u>. It is spoken by the <u>Gwong</u> people, whose indigenous homeland is in <u>Jema'a Local Government Area</u> in the southern part of <u>Kaduna State</u>, <u>Nigeria</u>.

Names of the Gyong dialect include: Minbeyk (meaning-I am contented), Jebnum (meaning-God's protection), Yimi (meaning-Love) etc.

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Native to	Nigeria
Region	Kaduna State
Native speakers	25,000 (2000) <sup>[1]</sup>
Language family	Niger–Congo
	<ul><li>Atlantic— Congo</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Benue–</li><li>Congo</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Plateau</li></ul>
	Central?
	Gyongic ?
	<ul><li>Gyong</li></ul>
Language codes	
ISO 639-3	kdm
Glottolog	kago1247 (htt
	p://glottolog.o
	rg/resource/lan
	guoid/id/kago12 47) <sup>[2]</sup>

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